GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Southern Freight Corridor
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways is in the process of developing a Southern Freight Corridor (SFC) which would be connected to one of the three dedicated freight corridors; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)

(a) : No, Madam. Presently, only two Freight Corridors, namely, Eastern Dedicated Freight Corridor and Western Dedicated Freight Corridor have been sanctioned. Feasibility studies have been carried out for three Freight Corridors, namely, (i) East-West Corridor (Kolkata-Mumbai); (ii) North-South Corridor (Delhi-Chennai); and (iii) East Coast Corridor (Kharagpur -Vijayawada).

(b): Does not arise.

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